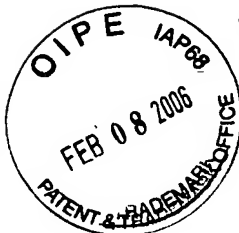


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Responsive to the outstanding Office Action dated 8 November 2005,

Please amend the above-referenced Patent Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which
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